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SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE ELEVENTH SATURDAY IN 1945.

(17TH MARCH 1945).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 17th March 1945: This week	Last 35 years average for the corresponding week 23·67	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1945: This year	Average past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·33
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 81	−0 81
Hoskote ...	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 48	−0 48
Dodballapur ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 78	−0 78
Nelamangala ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 36	−0 36
Kankanhalli ...	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 51	−0 51
Magadi ...	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 57	−0 57
Channapatna ...	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 50	−0 50
Anekal ...	0 00	0 11	0 00	0 82	−0 82
Devanhalli ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 69	−0 69
Closepet ...	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 50	−0 50
District Average ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 60	−0 60
KOLAR.					
Kolar ...	0 00	0 13	0 00	0 86	−0 86
Bowringpet ...	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 87	−0 87
Chintamani ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 54	−0 54
Mulbagal ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 02	−0 02
Sidlaghatta ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 66	−0 66
Chikballapur ...	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 96	−0 96
Bagepalli ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 39	−0 39
Goribidnur ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 44	−0 44
Malur ...	0 00	0 12	0 00	0 77	−0 77
Srinivaspur ...	0 00	0 14	0 00	0 93	−0 93
Gudibanda ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 60	−0 60
District Average ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 73	−0 73
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 50	−0 50
Madhugiri ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 52	−0 52
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0 00	0 13	0 00	0 48	−0 48
Sira ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 48	−0 48
Gubbi ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 38	−0 38
Tiptur ...	0 00	0 08	0 00	0 30	−0 30
Pavagada ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 51	−0 51
Kunigal ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 29	−0 29
Kortagere ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 47	−0 47
Turuvekere ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 31	−0 31
District Average ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 42	−0 42
MYSORE.					
Mysore ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 49	−0 49
Chamarajnagar ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 53	−0 53
Hunsur ...	0 00	0 07	0 00	0 44	−0 44
Krishnarajnagar ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 42	−0 42
Heggaddevankote ...	0 00	0 10	1 20	0 70	+0 50
Gundlupet ...	0 00	0 22	0 00	0 73	−0 73
Nanjangud ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 61	−0 61
T.-Narsipur ...	0 00	0 07	0 96	0 56	+0 40
Periyapatna ...	0 00	0 10	0 29	0 66	−0 37
District Average ...	0 00	0 08	0 27	0 57	−0 30

Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 17th March 1945—concld.

District and Station	This week	Last 35 years average for the corresponding week 23·67	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1945: This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (−) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·33
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ...	0 00	0 10	0 00	0 60	−0 60
Seringapatam ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 57	−0 57
Malvalli ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 36	−0 36
Krishnarajpete ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 37	−0 37
Nagamangala ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 47	−0 47
Maddur ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 33	−0 33
French-Rocks ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 54	−0 54
District Average ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 46	−0 46
HASSAN.					
Hassan ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 43	−0 43
Manjarabad (Sakleshpur) ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 43	−0 43
Arkalgud ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 56	−0 56
Belur ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 42	−0 42
Channarayapatna ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 24	−0 24
Arsikere ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 42	−0 42
Hole-Narsipur ...	0 00	0 06	0 00	0 42	−0 42
Alur ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 43	−0 43
District Average ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 42	−0 31
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 34	−0 34
Channagiri ...	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 32	−0 32
Honnali ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 45	−0 45
Shikarpur ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 13	−0 13
Sorab ...	0 00	0 05	0 00	0 20	−0 20
Sagar ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 22	−0 22
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 18	−0 18
Tirthahalli ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 22	−0 22
Kumsi ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 18	−0 18
District Average ...	0 00	0 02	0 00	0 25	−0 25
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur ...	0 00	0 07	39 29	36 36	+2 93
Kadur ...	0 00	0 04	26 78	23 64	+3 14
Tarikere ...	0 00	0 00	34 34	36 23	−1 89
Koppa ...	0 00	0 00	110 30	117 25	−6 95
Mudgere ...	0 00	0 01	93 21	94 93	−1 72
Narasimharajpura ...	0 00	0 01	77 49	69 55	+7 94
Sringeri ...	0 00	0 05	125 74	146 52	−20 78
District Average ...	0 00	0 02	72 45	74 92	−2 47
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 48	−0 48
Chailakere ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 45	−0 45
Hiriyur ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 30	−0 30
Holalkere ...	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 42	−0 42
Davangere ...	0 00	0 00	0 15	0 28	−0 13
Molakalmuru ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 48	−0 48
Jagalur ...	0 00	0 01	0 00	0 58	−0 58
Hosdurga ...	0 00	0 03	0 00	0 39	−0 39
Harihar ...	0 00	0 04	0 00	0 30	−0 30
District Average ...	0 00	0 01	0 02	0 41	−0 39
Provincial Average ...	0 00	0 04	8 09	8 75	−0 66

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 12TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 24TH MARCH 1945.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	6·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	16·00
	Kulthi ...	4·00	4·00	12·00
	Kadale ...	2·50	2·50	7·00
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	7·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	18·00
	Kulthi ...	4·00	4·00	7·00
	Kadale ...	2·25	2·25	7·00
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	6·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	14·00
	Kulthi ...	4·00	4·00	7·00
	Kadale ...	2·50	2·50	6·00
Mysore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	7·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	12·00
	Kulthi ...	4·50	4·50	14·00
	Kadale ...	3·00	3·00	6·00
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	5·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	9·50
	Kulthi ...	4·00	4·00	9·00
	Kadale ...	2·00	2·00	3·00
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	7·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	16·00
	Kulthi ...	5·50	5·50	9·00
	Kadale ...	2·50	2·50	5·00
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	6·66
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	13·87
	Kulthi ...	4·00	4·00	9·90
	Kadale ...	2·00	2·00	...
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·75	3·75	8·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	16·00
	Kulthi ...	5·00	5·00	10·00
	Kadale ...	2·50	2·50	6·00
Chital-drug	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·50	3·50	6·00
	Ragi ...	6·00	6·00	16·00
	Kulthi ...	5·00	5·00	15·00
	Chelum ...	6·00	6·00	15·00
	Kadale ...	2·00	2·00	7·00

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy and sugarcane are in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in parts of Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Devanahalli and Magadi; ragi, paddy, sugarcane, avare, thogari and horsegram in parts of Kankanhalli.

Crops Sown.—Nil.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Crops sown—Nil.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi and sugarcane.

Standing Crops.—Vaisaki paddy and sugarcane are reported to be in good condition and jola in Goribidnur Taluk is reported to be in good condition. Rain is wanted for the standing crops.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in Chakarasanahally and "Chapperoga" in Thrunasi of Malur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

Pasture, fodder and water are available.

Public health is generally good except for the prevalence of Plague in the following villages:—

Plague: In Gudipally, Tanatahalli, Anemadagu and Jodi Sonnenahalli of Sidlagatta Taluk in Idagur and Ramapur of Goribidnur Taluk. Preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in Tiptur, Kunigal and Gubbi Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Paddy and sugarcane in Tumkur, Madhugiri and Kortagere Taluks; paddy and cotton in Sira Taluk; paddy in Gubbi Taluk and sugarcane in Kunigal Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane in Kortagere, Kunigal and Gubbi Taluks.

10. Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district except for the prevalance of "Rinderpest" in Kadugujjanhalli village and "Black-quarter" in Tuppur village of Tumkur Taluk. The Veterinary Department have been addressed to take immediate steps to prevent the spread of the diseases.

Water and fodder are available.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour in agricultural operations.

MYSORE.

8. Normally well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

State of Standing Crops.—Mulberry, cotton and tobacco are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane in T.-Narsipur Taluk is reported to be being harvested.

10. Generally good.

Sufficient labour and wages are available in all the parts of this district.

11. Water and fodder are available to cattle in all the parts of this district.

Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in some parts of Nanjangud Taluk. Action is being taken to check the spread of the epidemic.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugarcane is reported to have been planted in some parts of Mandya and Maddur Taluks.

Standing Crops:—Sugarcane and paddy in Mandya, Krishnarajapet and Nagamangala Taluks and sugarcane in Seringapatam, French-Rocks, Maddur and Malvalli Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane is reported to have been harvested in Mandya, Maddur, French-Rocks, and Krishnarajapet Taluks.

10. Public health is reported to be generally good, during the week under report.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy.

Fodder and water are reported to be available in sufficient quantities.

HASSAN.

8. Rice and ragi are being distributed in Government and Municipal Depots and in Co-operative Stores.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in the Belur, Chennarayapatna, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Taluks and karpaddy, bengalgram and onions in the Hassan Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud and Alur Taluks; ragi in the Hassan, Alur, Arkalgud, Belur Taluks are being thrashed and sugarcane in the Holenarsipur Taluk is being miled.

10. Favourable.

11. Water and fodder are available.

Cattle are reported to be healthy.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sugarcane is being planted in some parts of Shikarpur, Nagar and Kumsi Sub-taluks.

Crops harvested.—Ragi is reaped in Channagiri Taluk and Sugarcane is being crushed in all the taluks.

Standing Crops:—Sugarcane is in good condition in all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour. Food grains are available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy all over the district. Fodder and water are available.

12. Out of the extent of 17,010 acres and 24 guntas granted under "Grow More Food scheme" an extent of 6,628 acres and 2 guntas is brought under cultivation. The Amildars are directed to see that the entire extent granted is brought under cultivation and that only food and fodder crops are grown therein.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Sugarcane is being sown in N. R. Pura Sub-taluk.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane in Chikmagalur Taluk; garlic, cotton in Kadur Taluk and sugarcane in Koppa Taluk are the standing crops.

Crops Harvested.—Sugarcane in Chikmagalur Taluk; summer jola, bengalgram in Kadur Taluk; sugarcane in Koppa and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluks are being harvested and sugarcane is being milled.

Public Health.—Plague is reported to be prevailing in some villages of Kadur Taluk and in Kadur and Biru Towns. Preventive measures are being taken to check the spread of the disease.

Public health in other parts of the district is reported to be generally good.

Labour is available and the condition of the labour classes is satisfactory.

10. Seasonal conditions are fair.

11. "Rinderpest" is reported to be prevailing in Tulavinakoppa village of Koppa Taluk, Byrapura village of N. R.-Pura Sub-Taluk and in Idakani and Hunuvakki villages of Mudgere Taluk. The Veterinary Department is requested for taking needful action to check the spread of the disease. Cattle in other parts of the district are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available throughout the district.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are well supplied with ragi and jola. There is dearth for rice in the market. Necessary arrangements have been made for the supply of the same from emergency depot and other available places.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Sowing of paddy in channel area in Hiriyur Taluk is reported to be in progress.

Standing Crops.—Sugarcane, cotton, wheat and paddy are reported to be fair.

Harvest.—Bilijola and bengalgram in Holalkere Taluk; sugarcane and ragi in Hiriyur Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

The cooly classes are finding sufficient labour all over the district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available throughout the district.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM, AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE 12TH WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 24TH MARCH 1945.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas. Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horse-gram	Bengal-gram
		Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.	Srs. Ch.
Bangalore	Bangalore North	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Bangalore South	3 8	6 0	5 0	4 0
	Hoskote	3 8	6 0	4 8	2 4
	Dodballapur	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 4
	Nelamangala	3 8	6 0	4 0	3 8
	Kankanhalli	3 4	6 0	5 0	3 8
	Magadi	3 8	6 0	4 8	2 4
	Channapatna	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Anekal	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Devanhalli	3 8	6 0	4 4	3 0
	Closepet	3 8	6 0	4 0	3 4
Kolar	Kolar	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Bowringpet	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Chintamani	3 8	6 0	5 4	..
	Mulbagal	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Sidlaghatta	3 8	6 0	3 8	..
	Chikballapur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Bagepalli	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Goribidnur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Malur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Srinivaspur	3 8	6 0	4 8	..
	Gudibanda	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
Tumkur	Tumkur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Madhugiri	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Chiknayakanhalli	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Sira	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Gubbi	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Tiptur	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	Pavagada	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Kunigal	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Kortagere	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Turuvekere	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
Mysore	Mysore	3 8	6 0	4 8	..
	Chamarajnagar	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	Hunsur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Krishnarajnagar	3 8	6 0	4 8	..
	Heggaddevankote	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	Gundlupet	3 8	6 0	4 4	..
	Nanjangud	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	T-Narsipur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Periyapatna	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
Mandya	Mandya	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Seringapatam	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Malvalli	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Krishnarajpet	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Nagamangala	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Maddur	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	French-Rocks	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
Hassan	Hassan	3 8	6 0	5 8	2 8
	Manjarabad	3 12	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Arkalgud	3 12	6 0	6 0	3 0
	Belur	3 12	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Channarayapatna	3 8	6 0	5 0	2 8
	Arsikere	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Hole-Narsipur	3 8	6 0	6 0	2 12
	Alur	3 12	6 0	4 0	2 12
Shimoga	Shimoga	4 0	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Channagiri	4 0	6 4	5 0	2 0
	Honnali	4 0	6 4	5 0	3 0
	Shikarpur	4 0	6 0	3 8	2 0
	Sorab	4 0	6 0	4 4	2 8
	Sagar	4 0	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Nagar	4 0	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Tirthahalli	4 0	6 0	3 12	2 0
	Kumsi	4 0	6 0	4 8	2 0
Kadur	Chikmagalur	3 12	6 0	5 0	2 8
	Kadur	3 12	6 0	5 0	3 0
	Tarikere	3 12	6 0	4 4	2 12
	Koppa	3 12	6 0	4 0	3 0
	Mudgere	3 12	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Narasimharajapura	3 12	6 0	4 0	2 8
	Sringeri	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 8
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	Challakere	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Hiriyur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Holalkere	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Davangere	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Molakalmuru	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Jagalur	3 8	6 0	4 0	..
	Hosdurga	3 8	6 0	5 0	..
	Harihar	3 8	6 0	5 0	..

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, Dated Bangalore, 27th March 1945.
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M. SESHADRI, *Revenue Commissioner.*

MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 22ND MARCH 1945.

A total of 81 attacks with 48 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 59 attacks with 35 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 5 attacks (2 imported) with 3 deaths (1 imported) and nil attack with nil death respectively, while Kolar Gold Field Area reported 3 attacks with 1 death. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1944 and 1943 were 51 attacks with 34 deaths and 44 attacks with 32 deaths respectively. The C. & M. Station, Bangalore, reported 3 attacks with 3 deaths (1 imported).

A total of 18 attacks with nil deaths from Smallpox were reported from one village in each of Chitaldrug, French Rocks, Channapatna, Yelandur and Harihar Taluks and Hidustan Air Craft and Kolar Gold Field Area.

32 attacks with 13 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in each of Chitaldrug and Pavagada Taluks.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 147 (43 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 27·2 (19·2 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28·5 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered 3 under Plague, 2 under Malaria, 3 under other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 13 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 120 under all other causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned for 6 days, 94 deaths (17 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 33·9 (27·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 36·2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were, Plague 2, Smallpox 1, Malaria 1, Broncho-Pneumonia 9, Pneumonia 7, Typhoid 3, Phthisis 1, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 18 and all other causes 52.

The total mortality for Mysore City was for 6 days, 73 (16 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 26·3 (20·5 excluding deaths) per mille of population as against 25·2 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were, Pneumonia 2, Typhoid 1, Other Fevers 4, Phthisis 6, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 7, and all other causes 53. The reported mortality was normal.

There were 40 deaths (5 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 19·1 (16·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 19·0 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 1 under Plague, 1 under Malaria, 4 under other Fevers, 3 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 31 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

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